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Virginia Broilers



Cooperating with:



Week Ending: June 17, 2006 Number: 24 Released: June 21, 2006

Virginia Placements Up 3 Percent

Virginia placements are estimated at **5,000,000** chicks. This was *up 3 percent* from the previous week but *down 10 percent* from last year. There were **6,338,000** eggs set in Virginia hatcheries. This was *down slightly* from the previous week but *down 3 percent* from last year.

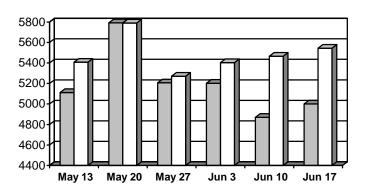
19 State Placements Up Slightly

In the 19 states, **175,104,000** chicks were placed during the week. Placements were *up slightly* from the previous week but *down 2 percent* from last year. Eggs set during the week ending June 10 totaled **210,833,000**. This was *down 2 percent* from the previous week and *down 2 percent* from last year.

Virginia Broiler Totals

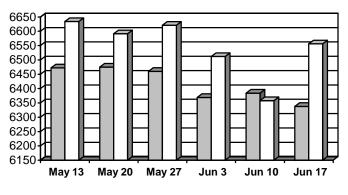
Chicks Placed				Eggs Set					
Week Ending		2005	2006	% of Yr. Earlier	Wee Endi		2005	2006	% of Yr. Earlier
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May	13	5,407	5,112	95	May	13	6,634	6,472	98
	20	5,790	5,792	100		20	6,591	6,475	98
	27	5,271	5,206	99		27	6,621	6,460	98
June	03	5,403	5,202	96	June	03	6,512	6,369	98
	10	5,466	4,870	89		10	6,358	6,384	100
	17	5,544	5,000	90		17	6,556	6,338	97

Chicks Placed



□ 2006 □ 2005

Eggs Set



□2006 □2005

Chaha	:			Week Ending			
State	: May 13 : 2006	-	: May 27 : 2006			: Jun 17 : 2006	
		:	:	T	housand		
AL AR DE	: 31,471 : 29,750 : 3,542	31,644 30,709 3,661		30,051	30,499	31,072 28,819 3,944	
FL GA	: 1,328 : 34,704	962 34,612	1,392 *34,869	1,346 35,085	1,374 *34,951	1,374 35,312	
KY LA MD	: *7,338 : 3,923 : 8,876	*7,031 3,923 8,955	7,174 3,923 8,544	7,129 3,923 8,893	7,254 3,923 8,772	7,244 3,923 8,961	
MS NC	: 18,385 : 18,925	18,872	*18,387	18,618	17,916 *18,900	17,569 17,828	
OK PA SC	•	6,276 4,114 5,309	6,478 4,087 5,385		•	6,493 3,991 5,103	
TX VA CA, MO, TN, & WV	: 14,836 : 6,472 : *18,211	6,475	14,868 6,460 *18,092	6,369	6,384	6,338	
19 State Total	:*213,514		:	-	•	•	
Previous Year Total	: 215,969	216,555	: 215,660 :	215,857	215,948	214,626	
Pct. of Prev. Year	: 99	98	99	99	99	98	

^{*} Revised

Broiler	Chicks	Placed.	19	Selected	States
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Stata	:			Week Ending			
State	: May 13	: May 20 : 2006	: May 27 : 2006		: Jun 10 : 2006	: Jun 17 : 2006	
		:		T)	housand		
AL AR	: 20,897 : 25,233	•	21,210 24,546		*21,126 23,247	21,647 23,370	
DE	: 5,940	•	6,056	•	•	5,835	
FL GA	: 1,324 : *28,488	,	1,452 *28,308	1,403 28,168	814 *29,687	1,408 29,263	
KY LA	: 6,388 : 3,782	•	6,013	*6,315 4,189	•	6,226 3,741	
MD	: 4,484	4,979	4,512	5,261	4,582	4,849	
MS NC	: 15,743 : 15,193	•	16,241 15,357		15,880 *15,721	15,877 15,315	
OK	: 4,087	5,296	4,781	5,102	5,369	5,107	
PA SC	: 2,959 : 4,592	•	2,960 3,929	•	•	2,954 4,460	
TX VA	: 12,773 : 5,112	•	12,828 5,206			12,913 5,000	
CA, MO, TN, & WV	: *16,380	•	•	•	•	17,139	
19 State Total	:*173,375	*171,855	*173,170 :	*174,833	*174,301	175,104	
Previous Year Total	: 178,354	177,385	178,099 :	178,299	178,287	178,125	
Pct. of Prev. Year	: 97	97	97	98	98	98	